

Application No. 09/722,471  
Attorney Docket No. 4821-406



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: J. McCULLOUGH et al.

Application No: 09/722,471

Group Art Unit: 1614

Filed: November 28, 2000

Examiner: R. Cook

For: METHODS FOR TREATING NICOTINE  
ADDICTION AND AIDING IN  
SMOKING CESSATION USING  
OPTICALLY PURE (-)-BUPROPION  
(as amended)

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 22, 2003, Applicants submit the following amendment and remarks for entry into the file of the above-identified application. Also submitted herein is a Notice of Appeal and a Petition for Extension of Time, with provision for the required fee, which extends the time for responding to the Office Action to and including January 22, 2004.

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**AMENDMENT**

Please amend the title as follows:

METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR TREATING NICOTINE  
ADDICTION AND AIDING IN SMOKING CESSATION USING OPTICALLY PURE (-)-  
BUPROPION.

A complete list of pending claims and status of all claims is included in the  
Appendix.